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Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Restriction Office Action mailed April 5, 2007, which response is being made on Monday, August 6, 2007, (August 5, 2007 being a Sunday), and for which 3 months extension of time fees are due.

Applicants hereby elect Group VI, namely Claims 69-77, 78 and 84-86, drawn to a method of delivering a protein into a cell, comprising contacting the cell with a protein conjugage.

With respect to the species requirements, Applicants select the conjugate H2A-BSA.

All claims in Group VI (namely Claims 69-77, 78 and 84-86) read on the elected species.

Applicants reserve the right to file, at a later date, additional divisional applications claiming priority from the present application which are directed to the non-elected Groups.

Respectfully submitted,

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